BA-6 Albert Smith House 701 Frederick Road Catonsville

The Albert Smith House is situated at the southwest corner of Frederick Road and Bloomsbury Avenue. Bloomsbury Avenue was once a lane leading to the Lurman estate where Catonsville Senior High School is now located. The house is a small stone (gabbro) Victorian dwelling with a peaked gable. A modern store front houses a book shop. About 1890 it was marked "Office of the Steam Mill."

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STREET NO. S.W. corner of Bloomsbury Ave & Frederick Rd.

ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE PRESENT OWNER PRESENT USE WALL CONSTRUCTION NO. OF STORIES

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY

2. NAME Albert Smith House

DATE OR PERIOD about 1819 STYLE

ARCHITECT BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION

OPEN TO PUBLIC

Originally on a 3,000 acre tract of land owned by the Sommervilles.

Bloomsbury Avenue was then a lane leading to the Lurman Estate, where the Catonsville Senior High School is now located.

5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered

Interior

Exterior



6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

7. PHOTOGRAPH

3. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.

9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER (First HABS Report) E. Frances Offutt HABS COMMITTEE OF BALTIMORE CO. HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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